Know all men by these presents, that I Mary E. Emory of Talbot County in the State of Maryland, do hereby manumit and set free, my negro slave named Cucretia Bailey, of light Complexion and aged about fifteen years from and after the first day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and seventy eight, when the said negro slave will be about the age of thirty four years, reserving the services of the said negro slave in the meantime to me, my heirs and assigns - Witness my hand and seal this nineteenth day of May in the year Eighteen hundred & Sixty

Test. Wm: B. Wheeler
P. W. Dormes

Mary E. Emory (Seal)

State of Maryland
Talbot County, to wit: I hereby Certify that on this nineteenth day of May in the year Eighteen hundred and Sixty before the subscriber a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Talbot County, personally appeared Mary E. Emory and acknowledged the written and aforegoing Deed to be her deliberate act -

Acknowledged before and Ratified by
Wm: B. Wheeler

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit:
I hereby Certify that the above Deed of Manumission is a true Copy of the Original filed and now remaining in my office
In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of the Circuit Court for Talbot County this 12th. day of June Anno Domini 1860 -

Jam. T. Hopkins Clk
Circuit Court Talbot County

To all whom it may Concern, be it known, that I Mary E. Emory of Talbot County in the State of Maryland do hereby liberate, manumit, and set free, my negro slave named Ellen Gibson of - Complexion and about fifteen years of age, from and after the first day of January in the year Eighteen hundred and sixty seven, when the said negro slave will be about the age of twenty one years, reserving the services of the said negro slave in the meantime to me my heirs and assigns.

Witness my hand and seal this nineteenth day of May in the year Eighteen hundred and sixty -

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